



Zero Waste

Introduction

MassDEP Municipal Waste Reduction Toolkit



Welcome to the Zero Waste Module of the Outreach Toolkit. The materials that comprise this module are all in electronic format. You can find:

- ⇒ Reduce, Reuse, Recycle: Rethink Zero Waste: an introductory primer about what is zero waste
- ⇒ Zero Waste Principals: A compilation of information from EcoCycle about the concepts behind zero waste
- ⇒ The *Zero Waste Toolkit*: A 28-page guide from EcoCycle with step-by-step how-to information on hosting various zero waste events and activities
- ⇒ Local Government Connection – Beyond Recycling: Zero Waste... or darn close: An introduction to zero waste concepts for municipal officials including a model resolution to adopt zero waste
- ⇒ *A Zero Waste Tool Kit for Local Government*: From British Columbia's Zero Waste Working Group, this toolkit outlines how a municipality can go about implementing zero waste.
- ⇒ Article for your local paper: *Is Zero Waste Possible?*: submit this article to be published in your local paper to promote zero waste in your community
- ⇒ Article for your local paper: *Achieving Zero Waste at Home*: submit this article to be published in your local paper to promote zero waste in your community

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